# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

# **FISCAL NOTE**



### **SJR 196**

March 17, 2013

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Proposes amending Article VI, Section 5 of the Constitution of Tennessee to require the Attorney General and Reporter to be appointed by joint vote of both houses of the General Assembly for a four-year term. Requires the resolution be published in compliance with Article XI, Section 3 of the Constitution of Tennessee.

#### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Increase State Expenditures – \$9,100/One-Time** 

#### Assumptions:

- The Secretary of State will publish the proposed amendment at least six months prior to the next election of General Assembly members, scheduled for November 2014.
- Based on information provided by the Secretary of State, the one-time increase in state expenditures for publishing costs is estimated to be \$9,100. The one-time state expenditure will occur in FY13-14.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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